GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH A B S T R A C T

Public Servants – Social Welfare Department – Certain irregularities committed in the maintenance of hostel during the years 1991-92 to 1993-94 – Disciplinary action against Sri A.Kedari, formerly Warden, Government Social Welfare Boys Hostel (B), Narasampet, and Assistant Social Welfare Officer (Retd), Mulug, Warangal District – Further action dropped – Orders –Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (SER.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.687 Dated: 01-10-2008 Read the following:

District Collector, Warangal, Letter No.A1/621/2000-I(67), dt 27-09-2006.

<u>ORDER:-</u>

In the reference read above, the District Collector, Warangal, stated that the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, issued orders for reopening the disciplinary cases of (31) Wardens/Matrons of Social Welfare Hostels in the Warangal District under Rule 41 of the A.P.Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991. It is further stated that the Government, vide G.O.Rt.No.46, Social Welfare (Ser.I) Department, dated 03-02-1998, issued orders for conducting of Special Audit on the misappropriation of Government funds and financial irregularities in Government Social Welfare Hostels/Other Institutions of Warangal District, for a period of three years from 1991-92 to 1993-94. Accordingly, the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, deputed the Special Audit Party for audit purpose of all Government Social Welfare Hostels/Institutions in the District for the periods from 1991-92 to 1993-94 and to submit the report to the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.

- 2. The District Collector, Warangal, also stated that the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, vide Letter, dated 21-02-2000, communicated the Special Audit Reports in respect of (97) Social Welfare Hostels/Other Institutions for a period of 3 years from 1991-92 to 1993-94 to the District Collector, Warangal, for taking suitable disciplinary action against the defaulting Wardens/Matrons as per the A.P.Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991, and to submit specific individual reports to the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad. He stated that on verification of Special Audit Reports of (97) Government Social Welfare Hostels/Other Institutions relating to the years 1991-92 to 1993-94, it was found that the Wardens/Matrons of Social Welfare Hostels/Other Institutions have misappropriated the Government money in maintenance of the institutions/hostels.
- 3. Accordingly, the District Collector, Warangal, framed Articles of Charges, vide Proc., dated 22-07-2000, against Sri A.Kedari, formerly Warden, Government Social Welfare Boys Hostel (B), Narasampet, and Assistant Social Welfare Officer (Retd), Mulug, Warangal District, towards misappropriation of Government funds in maintenance in the Government Social Welfare Boys Hostel (B), Narasampet, Warangal District, during the years 1991-92 to 1993-94. It is further stated that the District Collector, Warangal, vide Proc., dated 30-01-2002, appointed the Revenue Divisional Officer, Warangal, as Enquiry Officer. The Enquiry Officer, submitted his Enquiry Report to the District Collector, Warangal, on 12-12-2005.

- 4. The District Collector, Warangal, stated that the Enquiry Officer in his findings stated that he has verified the records made available in person. The Charged Officer has been in the additional charge of Government Social Welfare Boys Hostel (B), Narasampet, Warangal District, with effect from 01-11-1993 to 18-01-1994, as the regular Warden proceeded on leave, and as per the copy of charge list filed by the Charged Officer, the regular Warden has not handed over the records mentioned in the charge. The Enquiry Officer opined that the Charged Officer is not responsible for non-production of records mentioned there in the Audit Report, and hence the charge is not held proved.
- 5. The Government have examined the matter in detail, and agree with the findings of the Enquiry Officer and drop further action against Sri A.Kedari, formerly Warden, Government S.W. Boys Hostel (B), Narsampet and ASWO (Retd.) Mulug, Warangal District.
- 6. However, the Collector, Warangal District, is requested to initiate disciplinary action against the regular Warden who worked in Govt. SW Boys Hostel, Narsampet, Warangal District.
- 7. The Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P. / the Dist. Collector, Warangal, is directed to take action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

V.NAGI REDDY PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Social Welfare,
A.P., Hyderabad.
Sri A.Kedari, formerly Warden,
Govt. S.W. Boys Hostel (B),Narsampet
and ASWO (Retd.,) Mulug, Warangal District.
(through Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyd.).
The Dist.Collector, Warangal District.
(with file.No.B1/621/2000-II (67), N.F. Pages 1 to 7,
C.F. Pages. 1 to 53, the same may be acknowledged).
Sf/Scs.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER